

OR-2023-01-01

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 97 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES FOR THE VILLAGE OF MARVIN, NORTH CAROLINA REGARDING FIREARMS IN VILLAGE PARKS

WHEREAS, NCGS §§ 14-415.11 and 14-415.23 authorize a person with a valid concealed handgun permit to legally carry a concealed handgun on certain municipal property in accordance with state laws; and

WHEREAS, the Village Council for the Village of Marvin intends to ensure its regulation of firearms complies with state law.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Village Council for the Village of Marvin, North Carolina that the Village of Marvin Code of Ordinances is hereby amended as follows:

<u>Section 1</u>. "Section 97.06(A) Possess Firearm/Weapon/Fireworks" of the Code of Ordinances of the Village of Marvin, North Carolina is amended by the marked language set forth as follows:

A. No person(s) is to possess or carry on or about his or her person, whether openly or concealed, any firearm/weapon including but not limited to blank guns (such as starter pistols), air/soft guns, paintball, bows and arrows, slingshots, revolver, gun, rifles or pistols within any village park, trail, or greenway. This section shall not apply to (i) law enforcement or other government personnel acting within the scope of their employment; nor shall this section apply to (ii) weapons used for officially sanctioned ceremonial purposes; or (iii) persons carrying concealed handguns with a valid concealed handgun permit under the requirements of NCGS §§ 14-269 and 14-415.11.

Adopted and effective this the 10th day of January 2022.

Joseph E. Pollino, Mayor

Village of Marvin

Attest:

Austin W. Yow,

Village Clerk & Assistant to the Manager

Village of Marvin